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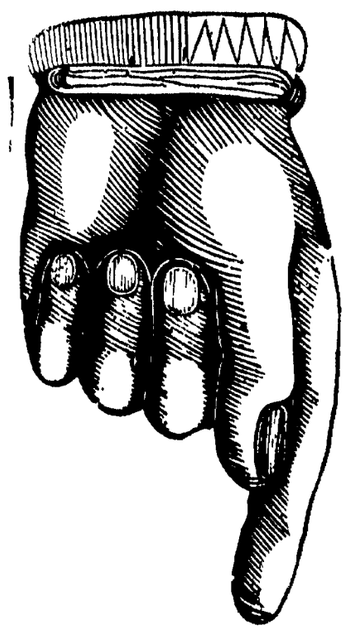

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4:18 A. M. ..... 3:10 P. M.

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GOING NORTH.
8:03 A. M. .....
10.17 A. M. ..... 2.35 P. M.
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TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.
Leave Toledo ..... 11 40 p. m
" Decatur ..... 2 30 p. m
Arrive Quincy ..... 9 35 p. m
" Keokuk ..... 10 15 p. m
" St. Louis ..... 7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.
Leave Toledo ..... 10 45 a. m
" Decatur ..... 2 40 a. m
Arrive Quincy ..... 9 35 a. m
" Keokuk ..... 11 00 a. m
" St. Louis ..... 7 50 a. m

FREIGHT,
No. 9—Leaves Decatur ..... 9:45 a. m

EASTWARD.

MAIL.
Leave St. Louis ..... 7 25 a. m
" Keokuk ..... 4 25 a. m
" Quincy ..... 5.15 a. m
" Decatur ..... 12 10 p. m
Arrive Toledo ..... 2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.
Leave St. Louis ..... 8 30 p. m
" Keokuk ..... 6 27 p. m
" Quincy ..... 7 10 p. m
" Decatur ..... 2 30 a. m
Arrive Toledo ..... 5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.
No. 14—Leaves Decatur ..... 8:00 p. m

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West ..... 2 50 p. m
" " Accom " ..... 6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East ..... 8 40 a. m
" " Accom " ..... 3 45 p. m

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Paris and Decatur R. R.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, JANUARY 20, 1873, trains will leave Decatur for Paris and Mattoon as follows;

Express ..... 10:00 a m
Accommodation ..... 3:00 p m
Express—arrives at Paris ..... 2:05 p m
Accom'n—arrives at Mattoon ..... 6 40 "
Express—leaves Paris ..... 6:00 p m
Arrives at Decatur ..... 10 45 "
Accom'n—leaves Mattoon ..... 7 15 a m
Arrives at Decatur ..... 11:10 "

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Decatur, Feb 22, 1873-tf.

LAKE TIDAL WAVES.

Singular Phenomenon on Lake Ontario--A rise of Three and a Half Feet in Four Minutes.

[From the Rochester Union, Jan. 18.]

In a brief dispatch from Mr. Mulligan, the operator at Charlotte, yesterday, it was announced that Lake Ontario had thrown another great wave upon its shore and into the Genesee river, to the surprise of all who witnessed the phenomenon. The occurrence took place at about half past 11 a. m. The river was closed with ice below the upper docks, and men and teams were on the ice cutting and hauling for storage Without a moment's warning or indication that any movement of water was to take place in the lake, the water began to rise and the ice toward the mouth of the harbor began to rise and crack, as if the great waves were rolling under it. In less than four minutes, water, ice, and all had risen over three feet and a half. Of course, the ice was more or less flooded. The men employed in gathering ice fled to the shore lest they should be overwhelmed like Pharaoh and his host and did well in reaching the land. One pair of horses, less fortunate, were lodged in a crevice, and were only extricated with great difficulty. One man who was on the ice, after reaching the shore did not feel quite confident that he was out of danger and betook himself to the top of a boathouse that stood upon the shore. This advance of water, receded in a short time, and the lake and river became tranquil.

Sometime last year the lake rose suddenly both at Charlotte and Oswego, all along the south shore. It was not in time of ice that this occurred.

This phenomenon can be accounted for upon no principle known to those who observe the effect of the wind upon the water. It is hours rather than minutes before a heavy gale can cause such an agitation in the waters of the lake.

THE SORT OF MEN THAT WOMEN LIKE BEST.

We know that men naturally shrink from the attempt to obtain companions who are their superiors; but they will find that really intelligent women, who possess the most desirable qualities, are uniformly modest, and hold their charms in modest estimation. What such women most admire is gallantry, not the gallantry of courts and fops, but boldness, courage, devotion and refined civility. A man's bearing wins ten superior women where his boots and brains win one. If a man stand before a woman with respect for himself and fearlessness of her, his suit is half won. The rest may safely be left with the parties most interested. Therefore never be afraid of a woman. Women are the most harmless and agreeable creatures in the world to a man who shows that he has a man's soul in him. If you have not got the spirit to come up to the test like this, you have not got that in you which pleases a high-souled woman, and you will have to content yourselves with the simple girl, who, in a quiet way, is endeavoring to attract and fasten you But don't be in a hurry about the matter. It isn't creditable to you Especially, don't imagine that any disappointment in love before you are twenty-one years old, will be of any material damage to you. The truth is, that before a man is twenty-four years old he does not know what he wants himself. So don't be in a hurry. The more of a man you become, the more manliness you become capable of exhibiting, in your association with women, the better wife you will be able to obtain; and one year's possession of the heart and hand of a really noble specimen of her sex, is worth nine hundred and ninety-nine years with a woman with two ideas in her head and nothing new to say about either of them. So don't be in a hurry, we say again. You don't want a wife now, and you have no idea of the kind you will want by-and-by. Go into female society if you can find that which will improve you, but not otherwise.

DOMESTIC RECEIPTS.

Excellent Crackers.—To fourteen cups of flour add one cup of lard, two teaspoonfulls of soda, and four of cream of tartar. Rub the ingredients well into the flour, then add three cups of water, work thoroughly, and bake quick.

Coffee.—Roasted coffee is now believed to be the most powerful of deodorizers, actually destroying noxious animal and vegetable effluvia. Experiments which have been recently made with it have proved most satisfactory. This is a simple, safe disinfectant, conveniently obtained.

Excellent Sponge Cake.—Five eggs beaten separately, the yolks together with one coffee-cup of pulverised white sugar, mixed and beaten until quite light, then add one teaspoonful of good vinegar, one cup of flour, and lastly the whites; flavor to suit taste. It requires neither milk nor yeast-powder, making a cheap and delicious cake

A freight train lost in the snow on the Winona and St Peter Railroad, in Minnesota, a month or so since, was dug out the other day, and, though very much emaciated, the cow-catcher was still alive

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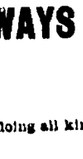

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PROFESSIONAL.

A. BROWER BUNN,
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OFFICE—Over W. W. Lapham's store Water street, Decatur, Ill. feb8'73

D. L. BUNN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE.—Over Ludden & Co's Dry Goods Store East Main street. feb8-'73

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hilde brandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 13, 1872-dw11.

W. T. CUSSINS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW and GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office, over S. M. Strully's Grocery Store, Decatur. *Prompt attention to business.*

E R ELDRIDGE,
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C. C. McComas,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public. Office in Room No. 2 north west corner of East Main and Water streets Decatur, Ill. April 10, 1872-dw1f.

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PARK & LEE,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW. Office: Over Millikin's Bank.
EDWIN PARK, Notary Public.
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B. I. Sterrett,
ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store, south side New Square. dec20-dlw1f

James M. Irwin,
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W. C. JOHNS,
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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Saturday Evening, March 22.

THE CONSTITUTIONALIZY OF THE RAILROAD LAWS.

Judge Gallagher this morning rendered a decision upon the constitutionality of the railroad laws of 1871, deciding that the legislature have no authority to pass a law fixing the maximum rates for the transportation of freight and passengers. He said that if the legislature have authority to pass a law fixing the maximum at 2½ cents per mile for the transportation of passengers, then upon the same principle the legislature might fix the rate at 20 cents per mile. It was a principle that could not be admitted, and is not beneficial to the interests of the people, especially in these times of corruption. Another question involved was whether the legislature could control the rates of transportation when it had given the carriers charters without limitation as to rates. These railroad carriers are upon the same footing as stage lines and steamboat lines, which have always had the right to fix their compensation for the carriage of persons. Had the State the right to regulate the fares of railroads after their charters had been granted, and they had expended their money in the construction of their roads? He could not admit, as some contend, that the charters are contracts between the people on the one side and the companies on the other, to the extent claimed, yet such charters are in some respects in the nature of a contract. The principle involved in the laws of 1871 was wrong, and against the interests of the people, for if one legislature has the right to pay 2½ cents per mile should be charged by the railroads the next legislature had the right to fix the rate at 25 cents per mile. Outside of these laws common carriers could not charge unreasonable rates. This had been the common laws for 150 years, and was the safest and best law for the people. Prior to the passage of the laws under which the suit was brought no railroad had a right to charge beyond 2½ cents per mile, when it was established in court that such was an unreasonable rate. He thought the question involved in the case before the court had already been determined by the Supreme Court. It was however admitted that there was no doubt about the power of the legislature to pass a law imposing penalties upon common carriers for over charges in the rates for freight and passengers.

GOV. BEVERIDGE yesterday returned to the Senate, the body in which it originated, Senate bill No. 134, for "an act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the election and qualification of Justices of the Peace and Constables, and to provide for the jurisdiction and practice of Justices of the Peace in civil cases, and to fix the duties of Constables, and to repeal certain acts therein named," with his objections thereto. The Governor says the bill is clearly unconstitutional, in that it extends the term of office for which certain officers were elected, and that if it should become a law, it would deprive the people of fourteen counties (including Sangamon), of Justices of the Peace for the term of one year from April next. His objections are well taken and will doubtless be sustained.

THE British Parliament was yesterday a mutual admiration society. Gladstone resumed the reins of government with the approval of everybody, and Disraeli's reasons for declining the Premiership were entirely satisfactory. Such a love feast is exceedingly rare in politics. The plain English of all the palaver on the Ministry business is that the Liberal party having a clear majority in the House of Commons and the country, a Tory Cabinet would have a brief and inglorious existence

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THE rumor that Judge Thornton contemplates resigning his position on the Supreme Bench is confirmed by that gentleman himself. His resignation will take effect in July, when the Judge will take up the practice of law once more in the city and has already been retained in several important cases that will come up at the fall term of our Circuit Court. The Judge gives as a reason for resigning the insufficiency of his salary, the uncertainty, and absence from his family and friends. The resignation of Judge Thornton will deprive the Supreme Court of one of its ablest counsellors and the State of one of its most profound jurists.—*Shellyville (Ill.) Leader*

Peoria wants the letter-carrier system introduced there

[Concluded.]

SUPERVISORS' RECORD.

March Regular Term, 1873.

To the Board of Supervisors of Macon County:

Your committee appointed at the regular March term to investigate and examine the bills presented by the merchants of Decatur, on orders issued by the Supervisor of said town, having carefully examined the same, beg leave to make the following report of the parties who received the goods of the various bills now on file, and which we now present to you for your consideration, viz:

Mrs Cullum, wood bill, allowed; grocery bill, one-half allowed.
Mrs Rutherford, wood bill (3 cords) allowed; shoe bill, allowed; grocery bill, two fifths allowed.
Mrs Foley, nothing allowed—owns property to amount of $1500.
Mrs Noble, shoe bill allowed; grocery bill, one-half allowed.
Mrs Johnson, wood bill, two fifths allowed; shoe bill allowed; grocery bill two fifths allowed.
Thos Ryan, wood bill, two fifths allowed; grocery bill, three fifths allowed.
Chas Dodwell, three fifths of bill all'd.
Mrs O'Bryan, wood bill, three fifths allowed; grocery bill, two fifths allowed.
Mrs Ryan, three fifths of the bill allowed.
Mrs O'Connor, wood bill, (3 cords), allowed; grocery bill, three fourths allowed.
Dick White, grocery bill, allowed; wood bill, three fourths allowed.
Mrs McNamara, shoe bill allowed; clothing bill allowed; grocery bill, two thirds allowed.
Ann Johnson, not allowed—has hogs to sell.
Mrs Carr, wood bill allowed; grocery bill allowed.
Julia King, bill allowed.
Mr Hildinger, bill allowed.
Mr Israik, grocery bill allowed; dry goods bill allowed.
Mrs Maroney, wood bill allowed; grocery bill, three fifths allowed.
Mrs Godfrey, two fifths of the bill allowed.
Mrs Potter, wood bill, three fifths allowed, grocery bill, two fifths allowed.
Mrs Cheatam, grocery bill allowed.
Dunivan, bill allowed
Mrs Stine, not allowed—owns a large amount of property.
Jerold, bill allowed
Mrs Sadler, wood bill allowed; shoe bill allowed; grocery bill, two fifths allowed (sold flour.)
Mrs Smith, wood bill allowed; grocery bill, three fourths allowed.
Mrs Guffey, shoes, dry goods and grocery bills, all allowed.
Sally Ward, bill allowed.
Mrs Wright, bill allowed, (wood and groceries), a property owner.
Mrs Bennett, wood bill allowed; grocery bill, three fifths allowed.
Mrs Denton, bill allowed (wood and groceries).
Mrs Ogden, not allowed.
Mrs Nefld, grocery bill, three fifths allowed; wood bill allowed.

The bills or accounts of the following named persons we would refer back to the Board of Supervisors, as your committee could not ascertain the condition of the parties, viz: McCrew, Mrs Burk, Mrs Fleeser, Mrs McKee, Mrs McCarlly, Mrs Frame; and also, annexed with the report we offer the paper marked with the am'ts of deductions.

JOSHUA GREEN, }
M. G. CAMRON, } *Com.*
R. H. PARK, }

The report of the committee was received and adopted by the Board, and the bills in the report of which the committee could gain no information about, were, on motion, allowed in full.

The following claims were reported on by the committees, and allowed by the Board, and warrants ordered drawn upon the treasurer to the persons and for the following amounts:

PAUPER EXPENSES.

To Sam'l McRoberts, for groceries furnished paupers by order of Supervisor Spangler, $104, allowed	$289	77
To J Ullrich & Co, same, $221, allo'd	181	32
To Sewell & Hammer, same, $107 25, allowed	42	05
To H H Lewis & Bro, same, $288 25,	147	75
To Shay & Alling, " 20 00,	20	00
To Corson & Olmsted, " 14 90,	14	90
To M Forstmeyer, wood, same, $253,	189	94
To Thos Dowling, " " 175,	180	00
To D S Shellabarger, flour, " 16 80	4	40
To George Priest, same, $8 65, allo'd	5	65
To West. Coal Co, coal, same, $80, referred back for orders		
To G F Wessels, shoes for same,	53	50
To Beach & Mcluynolds, goods, same,	60	00
To J L Fenton & Co, clothing, same,	38	85
To Theo A Gherman, goods, "	6	00
To Martin Shield, boarding, "	4	50
To Henry Hummell, for money advanced to ship paupers, and taking care of paupers	26	15
To Mary Meinheit, boarding and taking care of sick paupers, $22, referred back for vouchers		

MISCELLANEOUS CLAIMS.

To D K Wilson, for pursuing and arresting J B Trout, a cattle thief, in Logan county, who was convicted in Macon county and sent to the Penitentiary	$ 50	00
To O F McKim, for services as County Sup't of Schools, 72 days, $5	360	00
To J McClellan, for cash paid for 5m of deputies in his office for 3 mo's	495	00
To M G Camron, for services on committee to investigate pauper claims, 4 days	10	00
To Joshua Green, for same, 4 days	10	00
To Reed Spencer, for services on Judiciary committee, 1 day	2	50
To Jason Rogers, same, 1 day	2	50
To Wilson & Drake, for work done on jail by order of court, in year 1872	03	70

EXPENSE OF SUPERVISORS' COURT.

Per diem and mileage of Supervisors,	$47	80
To H W Waggoner, for services as Cl'k 1 day, $3	3	00
To I D Jennings, for services as Sheriff 1 day, $3	3	00

On motion of Supervisor Rogers, Board adjourned to first Monday in June.

PITTSBURG, March 21.—Considerable excitement prevailed throughout the two cities to-day in consequence of the election held for deciding the subject of license. Advocates of each side of the issue worked ardently at the polls, but the vote had been comparatively light, owing in part to unfavorable weather. The friends of license were well organized, while the prohibitionists, though equally earnest, seemed to be working without a completely organized system, as their adversaries' return from the various wards indicate that the majority for license in Pittsburg will approximate 6,000 and the majority in Allegheny City 2,500. Major returns from different sections of the country are favorable for the opponents of license. Saloons have been closed, and good order generally maintained.

Forty dollars are required to mow down the chaplet that adorns the chins of the old man in Terre Haute, and dispel the mould that collects on the upper lips of adolescents.

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3 O'Clock, P. M,

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

MORE HANGINGS.

FOSTER SUFFERS THE EXTREME PENALTY.

A BOSTON WIFE MURDERER EXECUTED.

The King of the Sandwich Islands to Visit the United States.

A New Move in the Caldwell Case.

"Local Option" in Pennsylvania.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, March 21.—Large crowds assembled at Center street early this morning, increasing as the hour of Foster's execution approached. At 7 o'clock in the morning the reserved police forces of all the down town precincts converged toward the Sixth Street Precinct Station-house. Two lines of police were drawn up across Center Street, and all traffic was suspended in that street for the time being.

Foster remained very late at night occupied with his own thoughts. The last interview with his wife and mother had impressed him deeply. He spoke little or nothing, except to ask the time. At 3 a. m. one of the Wardens asked him if he didn't think it was time to go to bed. "No," replied he, and then asked, despondingly, "Is there any dispatch yet?" The Warden replied in the negative. Foster shortly after retired and slept soundly, and so long that he had to be called.

At 8 o'clock this morning he was calm and sad, partook of breakfast, but had little appetite for food. Meantime everything outside in the prison-yard was being conducted quietly and orderly. Capt. Kennedy marched into the yard with 100 police. A number of privileged persons and those who had passes assembled in the corridor.—At 9 o'clock the sheriff arrived, and preparations for the final scene began. Foster came out at 9.12, the sheriff holding him up as he was so weak. The prisoner wore a black suit. Doctors Tyng and Schoenmaker devoted several minutes to prayer, the executioner adjusted the noose about Foster's neck and the black cap was drawn over his face. Foster at this terrible moment trembled violently in every limb. A few minutes afterwards the signal was given and Foster's body darted up into the air. The body hung motionless some seconds. His neck was instantly broken.

Foster died easy and showed wonderful courage. After the body hung twenty seconds, a heart-rending, audible sigh was heard, and the legs and arms straightened out. There was still a perceptible thrill at the pulse, however, but the physicians present pronounced life totally extinct at 9 35. Ten minutes later the Sheriff and assistants approached with a large shaven pine box, in which was the rosewood coffin, silver mounted, but without plate. On being placed in the coffin the black cap was removed from his head. Foster's face showed he had died calmly. The lower part of the face and neck was a deep red color.

At 10 a. m. the police reserves left the scene. The crowds surrounding the Tombs, however, remained a great part of the afternoon.

BOSTON, March 21.—James McElhony, who murdered his wife in August last, was hung in the Suffolk county jail, 11:11 this morning. The prisoner since his avowed conversion, under the ministration of his religious advisers, has maintained a calm composure, apparently awaiting his doom in a hopeful mood.

At 11 o'clock the prisoner entered the court yard where the scaffold was erected, accompanied by his spiritual adviser and officers of the prison. The prisoner ascended the stairs of the scaffold with a firm step, still retaining his calm, resigned appearance. High Sheriff Clark read the warrant of the execution, the prisoner sitting with pinioned arms in a chair on the trap.

The black cap was drawn over his head, and prayer offered by one of the clergymen. The noose was placed around his neck, and he arose from the chair at 11:10, the Sheriff pronounced the last words, the trap sprung, and James McElheny was ushered into eternity.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, March 21.—The Senate met at 10 o'clock. Mr. Fenton introduced a resolution directing the Finance Committee to inquire concerning the most practicable method of resuming specie payment, with instructions to report at the next session.

There is considerable objection among Senators to giving authority to the Committee on Inland Transportation Routes to sit during the vacation, to collect information.

General Sherman received a letter yesterday from General Schofield, from the Sandwich Islands, stating that he would arrive at San Francisco, March 23, with Lunalilo, the new King of the Sandwich Islands, who would visit Chicago and other Eastern cities to study the plan of our Government, with a view to reforms in the Sandwich Islands.

The following nomination has been sent to the Senate: George F. Dick, Postmaster, Bloomington, Ill.

The act revising and consolidating the Pension laws made important changes. The Pension Office has completed arrangements to act under the new provisions. Persons who lost a leg or legs above the knee, and being so disabled that they cannot use the artificial leg, may receive twenty-four dollars monthly, and persons who have lost both ears will receive thirteen dollars monthly. Two years are added to the limitation within which pensions may be established.

The Senate again refused to take action upon the previous question amendment to the Senate rules. Mr. Sherman earnestly insisted upon the necessity of something of that character to expedite business.

Mr. Ferry (Connecticut) indicated a new movement in the Caldwell case, by proposing to substitute, as an amendment, a resolution of expulsion. If it is adopted, this will compel a vote on expulsion before one is taken upon the resolution to unseat him. The vote on this proposed amendment will be a test of Caldwell's strength.

In the event of the defeat of Senator Morton's resolution to unseat Caldwell, Senators state that a new debate will be opened upon the merits the case involved in the resolution to expel, which would probably last one week. The action in the cases of alleged bribery by Senators Patterson, of South Carolina, and Bogy, of Missouri, is conditioned upon the result in the Caldwell case. Those Senators earnestly support Caldwell.

FOREIGN NEWS.

ROME, March 21.—His Holiness, Pope Pius IX, to day nominated three American Bishops to represent the Catholic Church in the United States, to be located as follows:

Bishop Carrigan, at Newark, N. J; Bishop Gross, at Savannah, Georgia; and Bishop Legars, at Van Couver's Island

Several Italian Democrats arrived in this city to-day in custody of government officers, and were placed in confinement in the Castle of St. Angel.

They are charged with high treason against the government of His Majesty King Victor Emanuel. It is expected that other arrests of persons implicated in the conspiracy will soon be made.

JERSEY CITY, March 21.—At noon to-day a fire occurred at Long Dock, Jersey City, where the freight and passenger depot of the Erie Railroad is located. Before the firemen reached the spot the depot and five buildings were in a mass of flames

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AN INTELLIGENT BLONDE.—Of the quality of intelligence which some of the fair seekers after legislative sensation carry to the Capitol, you may judge from the words of a lovely blonde, elegantly attired, apparently about 22 or 23 years of age. "Is Mr Ames a member of Congress?" she inquired languidly of her near-standing neighbor, a young New England woman of about her own age, stately and beautiful as a palm. "Oh! yes;" said New England, with a sudden glance of astonishment. "Well, I supposed so," said lovely maiden Washington. "I knew Mr. Brooks was (with an air of imparting information) He is the man who had the difficulty with Sumner some years ago."—*Washington Correspondence of the Independent.*

Smith's Opera House

ONE NIGHT ONLY!

Wednesday, March 26th.

THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY

FRED WILSON'S

MINSTRELS!

The most complete organization now before the public, will have the honor of appearing before the citizens of this city in one of their grand fashionable Refined Ethiopian Entertainments, introducing some of the most popular Artists in America.

SIX GREAT COMEDIANS!

Great SONG and DANCE ARTISTS, and the celebrated International Quartette, under the direction of Mr. Fred. Wilson, the Great and Wonderful Character Actor and Original Grecian Statue. With a fine Orchestra and Brass Band.

Prices as usual. Doors open at 7; commencing at 8. Reserved seats on sale at Fish & Foster's music store.

CHAS. CAMPBELL, Advertising Ag't.
FRANK B. CILLEY, Gen. Agt. [22d1t

FOR SALE!

Shoaff's Cottage.

PRICE, $3,500!

March 3, 1873.

FOUNTAIN

FINE-CUT TOBACCO,

MANUFACTURED BY LOVELL & BUFFINGTON, Cincinnati, O., was awarded the first premium at the Cincinnati Exposition, 1872, and other fairs wherever exhibited, and is the

BEST IN THE MARKET!

FOR SALE BY

ANDREW KEPLER,

m11-d1tf) Southeast Cor Old Square

New Advertisements.

FOR RENT!

THE FARM known as the Maffit farm, ½ mile south of the city limits, will be rented to a responsible tenant. There are 60 acres of farming land under cultivation. A team will be furnished if desired. Enquire of D. A. MAFFIT, or W. W. FOSTER. m14-d1tf

Examination of Teachers.

EXAMINATIONS will be held at the High School in Decatur, on the 19th, 20th and 21st of March, and at the office on the 25th, 27th and 28th of March, and the 2nd 3rd and 4th of April.

By being present at the beginning, at 9 a. m., candidates can complete the work in one day. OSCAR F. MCKIM, Co. Supt't of Schools.

March 3, 1873-d2t,w3t.

Get Rich while You can.

10,000 GIFTS amounting to a vast total of Half a Million Dollars, all cash, will be given by lot, under authority of special legislative act, to patrons of the Third Grand Gift Concert for the benefit of the Public Library of Ky., in Library Hall, at Louisville, Ky., on Tuesday, April 8, 1873. Highest gift, $10,000; lowest, $10. Only 100,000 tickets in all admission, and large sales already. ORD R QUICK if you would be in time. Whole tickets $10, halves, $5, quarters $2.50.

As the time for the Concert is close at hand (April 8th,) parties wanting tickets should send in their orders *immediately* if they would avoid the rush and delay absolutely unavoidable in the few days preceding the Drawing. All orders and applications for agencies, circulars and information will meet with prompt attention.

Thos. E. Bramlette,
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BIRD CAGES,
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FOR BIRD CAGES,

AT

J. H. LEWIS & CO'S

March 15, 1873—dtf.

ROLLING MILL

Grocery Store.

A. S. CORSON

HAS ALWAYS ON HAND a complete stock of Family

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,

COUNTRY PRODUCE, ETC.

He will at all times endeavor to furnish his customers with fresh Groceries, and at prices as low as any other store in Decatur. He respectfully solicits the trade of his immediate neighborhood, and of all others who may favor him with their patronage.

STORE—In Rolling Mill Addition, on Decatur St., south of Agricultural Works.

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Purely Mutual, Equitable, Progressive and Secure. Twenty-seven years of Business Experience.

Assets, - $21,000,000!

Safely invested and rapidly increasing.

Within the last quarter of a century the business of this Company has embraced the acceptance of over ninety thousand men as members, the receipt of over $35,000,000 in premiums, the payment of nearly $8,500,000 in losses to the representatives of deceased members, and dividends actually returned (not promised) amounting to over $6,000,000 to the assured. At the same time the assets have accumulated and after absolute security. The present business of the Company is represented in the receipt of ten thousand applications for policies per annum, and an annual income of over $7,000,000.

All desirable forms of Insurance are granted on the most practical plans, embodying the well-known non-forfeiture feature originated by this Company in 1860.

In addition to the above a new feature has recently been introduced by this company called the "Tontine Investment System," which combines the advantages of the Tontine Annuity and Life Insurance. Upon this new plan it is confidently expected that the dividends will far exceed those now declared by any other Company.

Further particulars in regard to this and all other plans of Insurance will be cheerfully furnished upon application to

CURRAN & PERKINS,
Gen. Managers for Illinois.

THOS. CRAWFORD, Agent.

OFFICE—24 East Main street.

m17 dtf *Decatur, Ill.*

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Executor of the Estate of Stephen N. Bly, late of said county, deceased, has filed his claim in the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday the 19th day of May, A. D. 1873 for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment.

ANDREW M. MCKINNEY, Executor.
March 20, 1873—w 6t.

NEW GOODS

MARBLE HALL!

J. R. Race & Co.

ARE RECEIVING THEIR STOCK OF

SPRING GOODS!

INCLUDING

CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS, and FURNISHING GOODS!

COME AND SEE OUR

SPRING SILK AND SOFT HATS!

Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings made up to order, in good style.

March 19, 1873—dtf.

New Bakery!

S. O. BOWER

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Decatur and vicinity that he has purchased the

Restaurant, Confectionery AND Bakery

On Water Street, formerly owned by C. H. Barrel.

He will make it his business to put this establishment in the most attractive shape and keep constantly the best of Confectionery, Fresh Bread, Pies and Cakes.

CAKES FOR WEDDING PARTIES

A SPECIALTY, and furnished on short notice.

OYSTERS in any style desired.

MEALS AT ALL HOURS

S. O. BOWER.

January 17, 1873—d1y.

THE BEST OF ALL!

BURDETT

PARLOR AND CHURCH

ORGAN!

PRONOUNCED BY ALL MUSICIANS TO BE PERFECTION ITSELF.

THE BURDETT!

Parlor and Church Organ has been before the public for many years, while it has always enjoyed a

FIRST-CLASS REPUTATION!

The improvements recently made upon it have placed it in advance of all its competitors. Whether considered as a parlor instrument, or with reference to its qualities for church purposes, it is the same triumphant success.

Those who think of purchasing an instrument of this kind should not fail to look at the Burdett before they make a final choice.

CALL ON

GEO. F. HARGIS,

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Who is agent for the sale of the Burdett in Decatur and vicinity.

Jan. 21, 1873-dtf.

Wanted---Money!

$3,000 Wanted,

FOR A TERM OF 4 OR 5 YEARS, for which I will give Mortgage on unincumbered Real Estate, in a high state of cultivation. Issued this year for $700

No real estate agent need apply.

Address,
DECATUR REPUBLICAN OFFICE
February 10-d1w.*

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WATCHES,

"COLUMBIA'S JEWELS."

Suitable for both Ladies and Gentlemen Solid Gold and Plated Opera and Chatelain

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As well as a large assortment of Gents' Gold Sets, and Studs. Also, a Complete Assortment of

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Solid Silver and Plated Ware, gold in sets or single pieces. Also, a complete stock of

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With and without Calender.

ALSO,

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AGENT FOR THE

Accommodating Spectacle

With French Achromatic Lenses and genuine Brazilian Pebbles.

All goods WARRANTED as represented. Goods bought of me

Engraved Free of Charge!

Having had an experience of over [illegible] years in the business, I feel confident that all goods bought of me and all watches repairing, etc., entrusted to me, will give perfect satisfaction.

J. L. KNIEPER.

No. 10 Water Street,
DECATUR, I

Dissolution Notice.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name of Rothrock & Bayless, Macon, Ill., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The books and the firm remain with John Bayless who will pay all claims against the firm and collect all claims belonging to it.

N. ROTHROCK
JOHN BAYLESS

MACON, ILL., February 18, 1873.

All parties indebted to the late firm of Rothrock & Bayless will please call and settle with the undersigned immediately, and thereby save costs. JOHN BAYLESS

February 18, 1873-d2w.

DRY GOODS.

HAYS & BRUCE

Are To-day receiving a large lot of

BLEACHED and BROWN MUSLINS,

TICKS, DENIMS, &C.

Also, three cases new style Prints.

All at our usual Low Prices.

Great Bargains offered in Jeans, Flannels, Waterproofs, &c., &c.

A few sets Mink Furs left, that we will sell at Half Price.

February 10, 1873--d-tf.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!

LADIES ON THE QUI VIVE!

Now is the Time for BARGAINS

ON THE 18TH INST. we will offer at EXCEEDINGLY LOW PRICES to the people of Decatur our stock of New Goods, in the selection of which great pains has been taken to meet the wants of our customers, consisting of

DRESS GOODS!

Of the Latest Styles and Newest Shades, which cannot fail to please the most fastidious. HOUSEKEEPING GOODS and LINENS of all varieties and grades; CASSIMERES, JEANS, COTTONADES and LINENS, for Spring and Summer wear,

WHITE GOODS!

And BLEACHED MUSLINS, of all the most popular makes and brands; HOSIERY in endless variety, etc., etc.

Our Notion Department will be found to contain everything useful and ornamental.

FICHU & LADIES SCARFS in New Shades only.

Would call especial attention to our stock of SHAWLS, including the celebrated

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In Every Color, besides many others.

Soliciting a share of the patronage of the citizens of Decatur and vicinity, and guaranteeing fair and square dealing, we ask you all to give us a call and satisfy yourselves that we can make for your interest to purchase of us.

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Decatur, March 17, 1873-dtf.

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MADE TO ORDER,

And Repairing Promptly Done,

—BY—

R. H. CARTER

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November 23, d-3m.

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WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM the citizens of Decatur and vicinity, that they have opened at the

Cor. Prairie and Merchant Sts.,

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A FULL LINE OF

Tinware, Stoves, House Furnishing Goods, Etc., Etc.

Among the leading Stoves on sale, are the

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These stoves are among the best offered in the market. We ask the public to call and examine our goods. Our prices are as low as the lowest.

☞ We have several as good workmen in tin, copper and sheet-iron, as can be found anywhere, consequently

JOB WORK

of all kinds will be done and satisfaction guaranteed.

Dec.7-d&wly.

A. C. CORNMAN,

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PAINTER,

PAPER HANGER, ETC.

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ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Pecumseh, Nebraska. Have 25,000 acres of choice land in southeastern Nebraska for sale on reasonable terms. [jn20-w3y

A New Book Free. Containing answers to important questions. Address, with stamp to pay postage, Mrs. H. Metzger, Hanover, Pa.

F. W. NIEDERMEYER,

—DEALER IN—

Groceries, Provisions!

Queensware, and Feed.

STORE—Corner North Monroe and West Eldorado streets, west of the Mound, Decatur, Ill. [nov12-dawly.

"*A Repository of Fashion, Pleasure, and Instruction.*"

Harper's Bazar

Notices of the Press:

The *Bazar* is edited with a contribution of tact and talent that we seldom find in any journal; and the journal itself is the organ of the great world of fashion.—*Boston Traveller.*

The *Bazar* commends itself to every member of the household—to the children by droll and pretty pictures, to the young ladies by its fashion-plates in endless variety, to the provident matron by its patterns for the children's clothes, to *paterfamilias* by its tasteful designs for embroidered slippers and luxurious dressing-gowns. But the reading-matter of the *Bazar* is uniformly of great excellence. The paper has acquired a wide popularity for the fireside enjoyment it affords.—*N. Y. Evening Post.*

Subscriptions--1873.

TERMS.

Harper's Bazar, one year.....$4 00

An Extra Copy of either the Magazine Weekly, or Bazar will be supplied gratis for every club of five subscribers at $4 00 each, in one remittance; or, six copies for $20 00, without extra copy.

Subscriptions to Harper's Magazine, Weekly, and Bazar, to one address for one year, $10 00; or, two of Harper's Periodicals, to one address, $7 00.

Back numbers can be supplied at any time. The five volumes of Harper's Bazar, for the years 1868, '69, '70, '71, '72, elegantly bound in green morocco cloth, will be sent by express, freight prepaid, for $7 00 each.

The postage on Harper's Bazar is 20 cents a year, which must be paid at the subscriber's post-office. Address

HARPER & BROTHERS, New York.

To D. M. Baughman or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, Matthew Hughes purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: The north end, east ha f, southwest quarter, southeast quarter of section 22, township 16, range 1, east of the third principal meridian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

JOHN S. BILLS, Assignee.

February 6-w3t.

TEXAS LANDS!

FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FOR SALE three hundred acres of splendid unimproved land, situated near the city of Waco, Texas. Lands under cultivation in the same vicinity produce forty bushels of wheat per acre. The climate is the finest in the world, and is unsurpassed for health. For information, then apply to the undersigned, or at the REPUBLICAN office.

R. N. MILLS,

January 6, 1873-d3m] Decatur, Ill

COLLEGIATE AND COMMERCIAL INSTITUTE, New Haven, Conn., preparatory to College, Business, Scientific Schools, U. S. Military and Naval Academies. Fall session, 36th year, begins Sept. 18. For Catalogue, address Gen. WM. H. RUSSELL Principal

DR. R. C. DAWKINS.

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The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Saturday Evening, March 22.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...The Ladies Library will not be open to night, March 22.

...Six first-class barbers at Young & Norman's, No. 6 Water street. 2

...We regret to learn that Rev. F. N. Ewing is quite ill, his malady being a severe attack of erysipelas.

...Richard White, a well-known colored citizen of this city, died last night, after a long and painful illness. He had resided in Decatur a great many years.

...There was a fine audience at the Christian Church last evening to listen to the discourse of Elder Beekman. The Elder spoke in his usual terse, pointed and logical style. He will preach again this evening, and also Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours.

...We visited the depot this morning and have a very indistinct recollection of a $5,000 calf shipped east and a $10,000 horse shipped west, lots of game and a pair of gloves.

Minstrels.—The Wilson Minstrel Troupe will give one of their entertainments at the Opera House next Wednesday evening. This is one of the best troupes traveling, and we bespeak a full house.

Circuit Court.—The following cases have been disposed of since our last report:

James Dougherty vs. Jacob H Bean—Appeal; Judgment affirmed for $25.

Wm B Kean et al vs. W E Crissey—Assumpsit; continued.

A H Varney vs. City of Decatur—Trespass on case. Dismissed.

John Webber vs. Frederick Aholtz—Appeal; verdict for plaintiff, $209.

David Birks vs. Samuel Weitsel—Replevin; verdict for defendant.

Ida LaRue vs. Frank Shaffer—Trespass on case; continued.

Wm Payne vs. W A Thrift—Appeal; damages, $49,78.

Poland Birks vs. I D Jennings; Replevin; continued.

Same vs. same—Continued.

City of Decatur vs. Dennis Hardyman—Appeal; verdict for defendant.

J Laforge vs. James B. Miller—Trespass on the case; continued.

Frank Wicks vs. Decatur Agricultural Works—Assumpsit; continued.

Robert Monro vs. Commissioners of Highways, Town of Niantic—Appeal; verdict for plaintiff; damages $81,50.

Frank Wicks vs. Decatur Agricultural Works—Covenant; continued.

Samuel Ingham vs. Pekin, Lincoln & Decatur Railroad and Toledo, Wabash & Western R. R.—Trespass; continued.

Real Estate Transfers.—The following transfers of real estate were filed for record in the Macon county Recorder's office since our last report:

Geo Reinman to Joseph Jones; warranty deed, $1,800; ne qr sec 32, town 15, range 1 east; deed dated March 14, '73.

James Whittaker to J G Hornbarger; warranty deed, $500; 20 feet off of south side Lot 4, block 13, Railroad Addition to Macon; deed dated March 10, 1873.

G H Kinkhead to James Whittaker; warranty deed, $1,000; 20 feet off south half lot 4, block 13, Railroad Addition to Macon. Deed dated Oct. 9, 1871.

Meat.—Those desirous of obtaining this very desirable article can always be accommodated by calling at the meat market of C. Young & Co., on North Main street. Their facilities for obtaining first-class meat of all kinds are unsurpassed.—Call and see for yourself.

Let the good people of this county remember that Geo. F. Wessels continues to sell boots and shoes at the lowest figures. His stock is large and well selected. Call on him.

Public Sale.—Rev. D. P. Bunn having concluded to break up house-keeping will sell his household and kitchen furniture at public sale, next Thursday, March 27. Six months' time will be given on all sums over $5, purchaser giving note with approved security. $5 and under, cash.

March 22 d2

The Truth.—In the whole United States there is not a Baking Powder or Flavoring Extract that is so valuable, so positive, so effectual in producing the most elegant and healthful bread and biscuits, the most delicious, desirable and delicate flavored cakes, pastry, ice cream, etc., as Dr. Price's celebrated Cream Baking Powder and Special Flavorings. Almond, Lemon and aromatic flavors. Try them and you will be delighted with their true qualities and find that they are far superior to anything in their line.

For Sale.—Two houses and one lot, just west of the oil mill. Apply at 77 East Main street. [nov10-6m.

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SOME RARE SPECIMEN OF HUMANITY.

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THE UNFORTUNATE MAN.

The life we now live is full of strange manifestations. Like a corduroy bridge, it is up and down; and with some most generally the latter. We are not here as the sun and moon, to continue our course for ages with constancy. The pint of honey has its gallon of gall; the drachm of pleasure a pound of pain; an inch of mirth an ell of mourn. Like an ivy does an oak, these things encompass our lives. 'Tis absurd and ridiculous for any mortal man to look for a perpetual tenor of happiness in this life; but it is rather like a chequer table, black and white." Most men have their sunshines and darknesses, their successes and reverses, but the sunshine of some is significantly hazy.

With those whose inheritance is misfortune and sorrow we sympathize. They are born of tribulation. To them disappointment is a constant companion. Their journey is through the valley and shadow of blasted hopes and expectations. Their sleep is the sleep of melancholy, and in their dreams they see little else than the gloomy portals of wretchedness. Contentment is a stranger at their hearthstones, and disease is continually gnawing at the vitals of their households. Death itself is a frequent visitor across their threshold, and the tomb to them is a place of common visitation. If contagion is abroad the unfortunate man is the first subject of attack. Let but one creditor whisper a breath of insecurity and all the rest will pounce down on the victim instantaneously, and Shylock begins to sharpen his knife. If, through abject poverty, he pick up a few stray crumbs that fall from the rich man's table, the rigors of law are invoked and his chains soon rattle in the gloomy cell among felons. Lank penury confronts him at home and accompanies him abroad; is a wall to prevent his intrusion in society, and shuts him out of the commonest tabernacle erected to the worship of Him that giving doth not imperish, and if his fellow man were the door-keeper would close upon him the entrance to heaven.

With the unfortunate man it is always winter, and the only weapon he has against it is his experience in want unsatisfied.—The few dollars he earns by honest, industrious, incessant toil, are met by a hundred demands. His castle is a hovel shaken by adversity. His roof-tree is a shelter, 'tis true, but casts a most disconsolate shadow on a disheartened and dejected family.—Prosperity rides by his door in a chariot on the king's highway, while he trudges along on foot, silently and demurely, the by-ways of despondency.

With the unfortunate man—

"Misfortunes travel in a train,
And in life form one perpetual chain;
Fear buries fear, and ills on ills attend,
Till life and sorrow meet one common end,"

EXAMINATION OF THE 1ST WARD SCHOOL.

The Committee of Examination for the First Ward School take pleasure in giving the result of their examinations, etc.

Owing to the fact that all the rooms were undergoing examination at the same time, it was impossible for the full committee to be in all the departments at the same time, therefore we could not take that satisfaction and pay the same attention that we could have desired; however, all the rooms were visited by some member of the committee.

And right here there is one thing worthy of remark: the great effort of the teachers appears to be to make their teaching as practical as possible, to have the children understand all words, phrases, etc; also, the run of each narrative read, so that the students have a good idea of what they are doing. So far as we have observed the effort is not to theorize, but to make all their teaching decidedly practical.

In Department No. 1, Miss Jameson, the children read well for their years; and as to the spelling they have progressed admirably—there has been an effort to lay a good foundation for future progress. A teacher cannot show off in this department as in a higher one, but here is where good work is very much needed.

Department No. 2, Miss Beach—the effort in geography was a complete success; laying aside books by both teacher and pupils, the classes were familiarized with the study so that they cannot well forget what they have learned. All the other studies we believe, were equally satisfactory.

In Department No. 3, Mrs. Slocumb, the children being further advanced, could show off to greater advantage, and the recitations—reading, spelling, arithmetic, writing and singing,—all were gone through with in the most admirable and satisfactory manner. Mrs. Slocumb appears to teach because she loves to do so, and this can be seen in her earnest efforts to have all the children, in all departments, acquit themselves well. The recitations were in many cases perfect; we would delight to speak of some of the pupils who gave evidence of remarkable ability, but as all did so well we will not single out any.

Department No. 4, Mr. Bigelow and Miss Grunendyke—This department needs no praise of ours; all know the strong worth and ability of these teachers; they could do no less than succeed. The recitations were all and more than could have been expected from pupils of their years. The majority of the scholars acquitted themselves most honorably to themselves and to their teachers. Some of us have been at the examinations of schools, both East and West, but taken in all, have never seen this school department excelled.—Of course there are some things that might be criticised, but nothing of vital importance. On the whole, we were more than delighted with the results of the examination. We would like to make many personal allusions to the different teachers, their parental regard for the children, the absence of favoritism, their department in the school room, etc.; also of the children, their respect shown their teachers, their willingness, and indeed eagerness to explain questions asked, etc. All these things would become a theme to speak upon, but lest we weary we will close; but shall long remember the day we spent in this department, among teachers and pupils.

Some of the rooms were well filled with visitors, parents and friends, and indeed some were crowded to overflowing, and notwithstanding the crowded condition of the rooms, all remained to the last and appeared to be highly delighted.

H. L. SOULE,
J. B. MILLISON,
D. ESPY,
MARY J. SPENCER,
A E HARRISON.

Nominations.—The following nominations for the various township offices, were made at the Long Creek Township Farmers' Association, on Friday, the 21st:

Supervisor—A T Davis;
Town Clerk—Geo Q Baker;
Assessor—William Herman;
Collector—S C Davis;
Overseer of Highways—John A Myers;
Constable—J A Cochrane.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ST. NICHOLAS.

Jos C Jackson, Chicago; J N Wallace, Macon; J B Grichut, Mohomet, Ill; W P Wilson, Chicago; J F Davis, Springfield, W T Sylvester, Arcola; J C Middlecoff, Paxton; J W Heilige, New York; J Crampton, Taylorville; R Davidson, Mt Auburn; J T Meyer, Taylorville; Oscar Louk, do; Edw Williams, Boston; C Campbell, ag't Fred Wilson's minstrels; W F Smith, Springfield; George Reinhart St Louis; Samuel Johnson, Centralia; A S Waltz, Macon; Thos Body, Bement.

Murdoch.—The greatest of elocutionists, James E. Murdoch, will give one of his entertainments at the Opera House Saturday evening, March 22d. Tickets for sale at Fish & Foster's on Friday and Saturday evenings. [mlt4tf]

DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, Mar. 21, 1873

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$1.30@1.40
" White "	1.30@1.50
FLOUR—white wheat, ₱ hundred	5.50
" red "	5.00
" superfine, "	5.50
" middlings, "	2.50
CORN MEAL—₱ bushel	40
RYE—₱ bushel	30
CORN—₱ bushel	22
" shelled, per bush	23
HAY—Timothy, ₱ ton	$9.00@10.00
OATS—₱ bushel	21@22
FLAXSEED—₱ bushel	1.75
TIMOTHY SEED—₱ bushel	2.00
CLOVER SEED—	6.00@7.00
BEANS—₱ bushel	2.75
BUTTER—₱ lb	20
EGGS—per doz	15
LARD—₱ lb	06@5
BACON—sides, uncured	10
HAMS—sugar-cured	15
SHOULDERS—per lb	07
HOGS—live, per hundred	4.00
CATTLE—" " "	3.50@4.00
SHEEP—" per hnn., unsheared	3.50@4.00
" " sheared	60
POTATOES—per bu	60
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	04@5
APPLES—	10@5
" Green ₱ bus	.15@60
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	30@34
" " coarse & long	38@42
" combing	40@43
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	38@48
" " coarse & long	50@60
" " combing	54@55
" Tubwashed	58@60
" and picked	60@65
HIDES—Green, ₱ lb	6@7
" Salted cured	9@9½
" Calf	.10@11
" Dry salt	.12½
" Dry Flint	14
SHEEP PELTS—Green, [Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	130@140
FEATHERS—Prime, ₱ lb	.50@.60
" Common, ₱ lb	.25@.30

APRIL ELECTION.

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN N. FULLER as a candidate for Justice of the Peace.

WE are authorized to announce N. S. RICHMOND as a candidate for Justice of the Peace.

WE are authorized to announce E. M. MISNER, as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace.

ASSESSOR.

WE are authorized to announce FRED. J. SMITH as a candidate for re-election to the office of Assessor.

WE are authorized to announce JACOB H. MILLER as a candidate for Assessor, at the April election.

COLLECTOR.

THANKFUL for past favors, I respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Township Collector, at the coming April election. H. H. BROWN.

WE are authorized to announce JACOB I. BEAR as a candidate for Township Collector, at the April election.

SUPERVISOR.

WE are authorized to announce HENRY HUMMELL as a candidate for Supervisor, at the April election.

WE are authorized to announce JACOB SPANGLER as a candidate for re-election to the office of Supervisor, in the coming April election.

WE are authorized to announce L. L. HAWORTH as a candidate for Supervisor.

CONSTABLES.

WE are authorized to announce J. M. SONGER as a candidate for Constable.

COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS.

WE are authorized to announce J. M. LOWRY as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways of Decatur Township.

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, March term, A. D. 1873.

In Chancery.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a suit has been commenced and is now pending in the Circuit Court of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, wherein George Stewart is complainant, and Edward Young, Augustus Harpstrite, and unknown heirs-at-law of Susan Young, deceased, are defendants; that summons has been issued in said cause, made returnable to the March term of said Court, to be holden in the Court-house at Decatur, in said county, on

Monday, the 3d day of March, A. D. 1873,

At which time and place said defendants are required to appear and plead, answer or demur to the bill filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against defendants not answering, and as to them said cause will be heard *ex parte.*

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First Methodist Episcopal Church.—Corner of North Water and William Streets. Rev. N. P. Heath, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

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W W Prentiss Presiding Elder.

Baptist Church—Northeast corner of Water and Will, streets. Rev. Mr Bonham pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

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United Brethren Church—Corner North Main and Cerro Gordo streets. Rev Mr. Fields, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

Christian Church—Corner of North Main and North streets; Rev. A. D. Northcutt, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

German Methodist Episcopal Church—On Eldorado street, between Church and Union streets. Rev. Mr. Baumgarden pas. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 9 A. M. and 2 P. M.

Universalist Church—On Prairie street west of the new square, Rev. ——, pastor. Services 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 9½ A. M.

Catholic Church—Corner of North and Jackson streets. Services by the Rev. Mr Walsh, every Sabbath, at 8 A. M., early mass; high mass, 10½; vespers at 2½ P. M.

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Macon Lodge, No. 8, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Saturday night preceeding full moon every month. W. H. Gipson, W. M.; Samuel Newell, Secretary.

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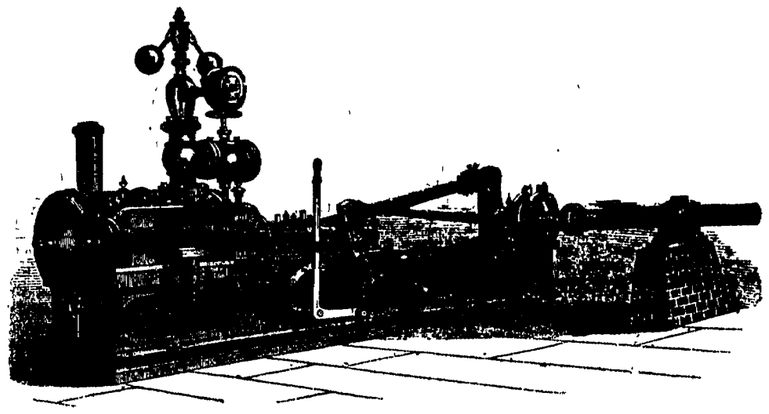

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